

COMMISSION ON TEACHER CREDENTIALING

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Robert A. Corrigan, President
San Francisco State University
1600 Holloway Avenue
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Dear President Corrigan:

I am writing to inform you that on August 8, 2007, the Committee on Accreditation, on behalf of the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, assigned the status of **ACCREDITATION WITH SUBSTANTIVE STIPULATIONS** to San Francisco State University and all of its credential programs.

The unit referred to in the following paragraphs refers to the following five departments: Administration and Interdisciplinary Studies, Elementary Education, Instructional Technology, Secondary Education and Special Education.

Following are the stipulations:

- That the unit provide evidence that institutional leadership supports a vision for professional preparation programs with clear communication and articulation among all programs within the unit.
- That the unit ensures cohesive management with clear lines of authority and responsibility among all programs within the unit.
- That the unit provide evidence of the implementation of a comprehensive program evaluation system involving program participants, graduates, and local practitioners. The system must demonstrate the potential for assuring continuous program improvement and must be applied to all credential program areas.
- That the unit provide evidence that every program has a systematic fieldwork sequence that meets the program standards and that district and university field supervisors are carefully selected, trained oriented, and assessed.
- That the unit provide evidence that all program standards less than fully met are now met.
- That the unit provide evidence that the institution provides sufficient resources to the unit in relation to the student population it is required to serve. The resources must

enable each program to effectively operate in terms of coordination, recruitment, advisement, program development and instruction.

1. On the basis of this decision, the institution is authorized to recommend candidates for the following Credentials:

- Adapted Physical Education Specialist Credential
- Administrative Services
 - Preliminary
 - Preliminary Internship
 - Professional
- Clinical Rehabilitative Services
 - Language Speech and Hearing
 - Audiology
 - Orientation and Mobility
- Education Specialist Credentials
 - Preliminary Level I
 - Mild/Moderate Disabilities
 - Mild/Moderate Disabilities Internship
 - Moderate/Severe Disabilities
 - Moderate/Severe Disabilities Internship
 - Deaf and Hard of Hearing
 - Early Childhood Special Education
 - Physical and Health Impairments
 - Visual Impairments
 - Professional Level II
 - Mild/Moderate Disabilities
 - Moderate/Severe Disabilities
 - Deaf and Hard of Hearing
 - Early Childhood Special Education
 - Physical and Health Impairments
 - Visual Impairments
- Multiple Subject Credential
 - Multiple Subject Credential
 - Multiple Subject Internship
 - BCLAD Emphasis (Spanish and Cantonese)
- Pupil Personnel Services
 - School Counseling
 - School Counseling Internship
 - School Psychology
 - School Psychology Internship
 - School Social Work

- Reading and Language Arts Specialist Credential
Reading Certificate
Reading and Language Arts Specialist
- Single Subject Credential
Single Subject Credential
Single Subject Internship

2. In addition:

- The institution's response to the preconditions is accepted.
- All stipulations must be met by June 30, 2008.
- San Francisco State University is not permitted to propose new credential programs for approval by the Committee on Accreditation until stipulations have been removed.
- San Francisco State University is required to provide evidence to the Committee on Accreditation that appropriate actions have been taken to address each of these stipulations within one year from the date of this action. A focused revisit will verify the appropriateness of the institution's actions.
- San Francisco State University will be placed on the schedule of accreditation visits for the 2013-2014 academic year subject to the continuation of the present schedule of accreditation visits by both the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education and the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

Should you or your staff have any questions relating to this action, you may address them to Teri Clark, Administrator of Accreditation, at (916) 323-5917.

The Commission and its staff are grateful to San Francisco State University for its commitment to the preparation of professional educators.

Sincerely,

Dale A. Janssen
Executive Director

cc: Jacob Perea, Dean
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P. David Pearson, Chair

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